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TAGS: ETRD, UY

SUBJ: MTN; LACK OF GOU PREPARATION; PROSPECTIVE REDUCTION OF
IMPORT CHARGES FOR AGRICULTURAL INPUTS

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1. GOU PREPARATION FOR PARTICIPATION IN MTN TO DATE
CONSISTS OF CALLING FOR FIRST MEETING OF INTERMINISTERIAL
WORKING GROUP ON MARCH 9. SUBJECT HAS BEEN GIVEN NO HIGH-
LEVEL ATTENTION TO DATE ALTHOUGH ECONOMIC SECTION CHIEF
AND COMMERCIAL ATACHE DISCUSSED SUBJECT WITH CHIEF OF
ECONOMIC AND COMMERCIAL POLICY IN THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN
RELATIONS OVER THREE MONTHS AGO, AND AMBASSADOR CONVEYED
AMBASSADOR STRAUSS'S URGING FOR ACTIVE LDC PARTICIPATION
ON FEBRUARY 16. CONSEQUENTLY, IT IS UNLIKELY THAT ANY
GOU PARTICIPATION WILL BE WELL GROUNDED ON HOMEWORK DONE
HERE. PART OF LACK OF INCENTIVE IS GENERAL CONCEPTION
THAT MOST OF THE BARRIERS TO ADDED URUGUAYAN EXPORTS
(E.G. MEAT, TEXTILE, FOOTWEAR) ARE NOT SUSCEPTIBLE
TO MTN REDUCTION.

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2. MINECON ARISMENDI INFORMED EMBOFF IN RELATED
CONVERSATION THAT HE WILL OBTAIN A DECREE WITHIN A FEW
WEEKS REDUCING IMPORT CHARGES FOR AGRICULTURAL INPUTS,
INCLUDING MACHINERY, FERTILIZERS, ETC. ACTION WOULD BE
PART OF EFFORT TO RATIONALIZE COUNTRY'S BASIC AGRICULTURAL
SECTOR. SPECIFICS OF ITEMS AFFECTED AND IN WHAT MANNER AWAITS
PROSPECTIVE OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THE ISSUANCE OF THE DECREE.

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